

Finding Aid of 33MSS-78: The David Stick *An Outer Banks Reader Research Papers, 1992 – 1998*

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Descriptive Summary

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Abstract:	<p><i>An Outer Banks Reader</i> is a collection of essays and articles by various authors on topics related to the history and culture of the Outer Banks. The writings were selected and edited by author David Stick and published by the University of North Carolina Press in 1998. Some topics covered in the book include natural history, social history, early exploration, shipwrecks, and military history.</p> <p>This collection consists of commentary & index card files compiled by David Stick regarding the process of doing research and producing <i>An Outer Banks Reader</i>; articles collected by Stick that were not included in the final work; and, topical files.</p>
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Historical Note

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Collection Overview

This collection consists of commentary & index card files compiled by David Stick regarding the process of doing research and producing *An Outer Banks Reader*; articles collected by Stick that were not included in the final work; and, topical files.

Collection Arrangement

This collection is arranged into 4 series: (1) Stick's commentary about the book; (2) several sets of index card files; (3) 27 articles that Stick identified as candidates for the book but that were not, in the end, included by the publisher; and, (4) an assemblage of topical files arranged alphabetically.

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Online Catalog Headings

These and related materials may be found under the following headings in online catalogs.

Subject Terms

Outer Banks (N.C.)--History--Sources
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Stick, David, 1919-2009

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Related Collections

Additional information on topics found in this collection may be found in the Manuscript and Archives Reference System (MARS): <http://mars.archives.ncdcr.gov/BasicSearch.aspx>.

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